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Application No.: 10/604,940  
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Applicant: Steven L. Carey  
Group Art Unit: 2835  
Examiner: Anatoly Vortman  
Title: Apparatus adapted to be releasably connectable to the  
sub-base of a thermostat  
Attorney Docket: WR-616

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.